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TO AMEMBASSY PORT MORESBY NIACT IMMEDIATE
INFO AMEMBASSY WELLINGTON
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SUBJECT: IMPLEMENTATION OF BONN SUMMIT ANTI-HIJACKING
DECLARATION

REF: A) PORT MORESBY 1466; B) PORT MORESBY 1499

1. DEPARTMENT WELCOMES EMBASSY'S AND SIAGURU'S
SUGGESTION OF POSSIBLE SOUTH PACIFIC FORUM SUPPORT FOR
BONN DECLARATION ON HIJACKING. PROVIDING PRIME MINISTER
HAS NOT ALREADY DEPARTED FOR NIEU MEETING, EMBASSY SHOULD
INDICATE USG APPRECIATION FOR HIS EFFORTS TO OBTAIN
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FORUM ENDORSEMENT OF DECLARATION.

2. REGRET OUR INFORMATION ON RESULTS OF DEMARCHES IN
CAPITALS INDICATED PARA 6, REF A, IS STILL PRELIMINARY.
NONE OF THOSE MENTIONED HAS PROVIDED FORMAL NOTIFICATION
OF SUPPORT OF DECLARATION BY FORMAL DIPLOMATIC NOTE NOR
HAVE ANY MADE PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT OF ENDORSEMENT.

HOWEVER, INFORMAL AND PRELIMINARY RESPONSES FROM PACIFIC AREA HAVE BEEN POSITIVE. STATUS OF SIX COUNTRIES MENTIONED REFTEL IS AS FOLLOWS:

A) CANBERRA - DEMARCHE SCHEDULED FOR SEPTEMBER 8.

B) MANILA - PHILIPPINES SUPPORTS OBJECTIVE OF DECLARATION; HAD QUESTION REGARDING NATURE OF DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR ADHERENCE TO DECLARATION BY NON-SUMMIT COUNTRIES. (FYI - ONLY FORMAL DOCUMENT ANTICIPATED BY BONN SEVEN IS DIPLOMATIC NOTE OF SUPPORT, ACCOMPANIED BY PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT. END FYI)

C) JAKARTA - NO RESULTS TO DATE. DEMARCHE ANTICIPATED WEEK SEPTEMBER 11.

D) SUVA - NO RESULTS DEMARCHE; U.S., BRITISH AND FRENCH WILL MAKE IN ABSENCE FRG.

E) WELLINGTON - DEMARCHE MADE. EMBASSY EXPECTS NO PROBLEM OBTAINING NEW ZEALAND COMMITMENT TO DEMARCHE. EXPECT REPLY BY MID-SEPTEMBER.

F) SINGAPORE - NO RESULTS DEMARCHE AS YET. CHRISTOPHER

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